

Preliminary Written Report to AOGCC: CD1 Gas Release

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ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc. respectfully submits the following information regarding the gas release at CD1 pad that started March 4, 2022.

In compliance with 20 AAC 25.205(b), the following information is being reported:

- 1) Time of the incident: Approximately 3:30 a.m. on March 4th, 2022.
- 2) The location where the incident took place: The CD1-05 wellhouse in the Colville River Unit.
- 3) The volumes of oil and gas released and recovered: At this time, we have not determined the volume of gas released. Potential methods for estimating the volume are under consideration. None of the gas has been recovered
- 4) The cause of the release: Remains to be determined.
- 5) Responsive actions to prevent additional releases: ConocoPhillips has a response team in the field and a response team in Anchorage, with support from Houston and specialty contractors, at work to determine the cause of the release and prevent additional releases. AOGCC staff have been included in technical work being conducted by the Anchorage response team. Response teams have initiated depressurization of suspect subsurface gas sources through the Alpine processing facility. ConocoPhillips can provide more detail about responsive actions on request and as information becomes available.
- 6) Plans, actions, equipment of procedural changes to prevent or minimize the risk of future releases: Remains to be determined.